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SUBJECT: ACCESS TO AMCONSUL OFFICE BUILDING

- 1. AT 1600 HOURS VICE CONSUL SCHORER MET POLINA EPELMAN IN FRONT OF CONSULATE BUILDING, GREETED HER AND ESCORTED HER INTO THE BUILDING. THERE WAS NO INTEREFERENCE OF ANY KIND BY MILITIA ON DUTY. EPELMAN HAD BEEN INVITED EARLIER IN DAY TO MEET WITH CONSUL GENERAL GLEYSTEEN.
- 2. DURING MEETING IN CONSUL GENERALS OFFICE, MRS. EPELMAN EXPLAINED HER SITUATION AND RELATED THAT OVIR HAD ORALLY REFUSED HER REQUEST TO LEAVE THE SOVIET UNION TO JOIN HER UNCLE IN US. REASON OVIR CITED WAS THAT HER HUSBAND LEFT USSR ILLEGALY, I.E. HAD NOT RETURNED TO USSR WHEN ABROAD ON SOVIET BUSINESS. HUSBAND NOW LIVES IN ISRAEL. SHE PLANS TO SUBMIT ANOTHER REQUEST IN JANUARY 1974.
- 3. SHE WAS INVITED TO TELEPHONE AND TO COME BY THE CONSULATE WHEN EVER SHE WISHED TO DISCUSS HER SITUATION. SHE WAS ESCORTED TO DOOR AND APPEARED TO LEAVE AREA OF CONSULATE UNHINDERED.
- 4. ADDITIONAL DETAILS TO FOLLOW. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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